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Ammoniated Soluble Superphosphate. The STAR AMMONIATED SOLUBLE SUPERPHOSPHATE, having gained on its own merits, the greatest reputation of any Fertilizer ever sold in the United States, and is now being produced in some parts of the United States, and to save the name of that

GREAT AND GOOD FERTILIZER.

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200 bales Bright Fodder.

800 bushels Oats.

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We do an exclusive FEED BUSINESS.

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CONDENSED TIME-TABLE:

In effect on and after SUNDAY, Oct. 15th,

1876.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS. MAIL.

Ch. Charlotte, 7:30 A. M.

Ch. Salisbury, 7:55 A. M.

Ch. Greensboro, 8:20 A. M.

Ch. Danville, 8:45 A. M.

Ch. Durham, 9:10 A. M.

Ch. Raleigh, 9:35 A. M.

Ch. Fayetteville, 10:00 A. M.

Ch. Richmond, 10:25 A. M.

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THE CITY.

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WAKE COUNTY TICKET.

SENATE: GEORGE H. SNOW.

HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES: MICHAEL WHITLEY, MALCOLM W. PAGE, HENRY C. OLIVE, JOHN W. JONES.

SHERIFF: SIDNEY M. DUNN.

REGISTER OF DEEDS: BENJAMIN Y. ROGERS.

TREASURER: DAVID LEWIS.

CORONER: JAMES M. JONES.

SURVEYOR: JOHN Q. SHAW.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS: SOLOMON J. ALLEN, ADOLPHUS G. JONES, WILLIAM JENKS, JESSE B. NOWELL, WILLIAM D. TURNER.

Several hops are booked for next month.

The Register of Deeds issued two marriage licenses yesterday.

The old fair grounds ought now to be called New Africa.

Don't neglect looking after your name on the registration books.

The barrel organ man and the scissors grinder are abroad in the land.

Revenue collections in this district yesterday amounted to \$10,409.10.

Hard times seem to have the effect of increasing rum mills in this community.

Over fifty new buildings are in process of construction east of Fayetteville street.

We learn that a large number of negroes in the county have declared for Tilden and Vance.

Our country friends came to the city in full force yesterday, and their presence gave an impetus to trade.

Yesterday Cotton Exchange Place had fewer sales on exhibition than any day since its establishment.

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We have been looking out for the troops at this point to be ordered to South Carolina. Why are they not sent down on the Whazewheeler campaign?

We have it from good authority that a few leading white Republicans here are figuring in secret negro midnight meetings. Particulars hereafter.

The body of a negro infant was found yesterday morning in rear of the Confederate Cemetery. From all appearances it had not been born over a week.

Two small sized fistcuffs occurred yesterday morning on Wilmington street between parties from the country. Little blood and no harm resulted. The intervention of the police was not invoked.

The New York Herald (an eight page paper) has recently reduced its price from \$12.00 to \$10.00 per annum. In doing so it utters the following sound truths:

We have reduced the price of the Herald because equity to the public requires that when the price of all other things go down, that of newspapers should decline in the same proportion. We have merely done a little in advance what all must soon do, and our correspondents do not seem to consider that the whole journalism of the city, as well as the whole public, have an interest identical with that which is represented by the present action of the Herald. It is inevitable that every branch of business must yield to the general situation which impels a universal reduction of prices. The Herald has taken this step after reflection; has taken it neither too soon nor too late; it will firmly adhere to it because it is not a freak of caprice, but the acceptance of a new business situation which all classes and employments will be compelled to recognize, and if they do not float down with the tide they will be stranded on the shore as the penalty of their obstinacy or want of foresight.

The Raleigh News, acting on the above principles, some time since reduced its Daily to \$5.00 and Weekly to \$1 per annum. Our success has simply proven the wisdom of our course.

Stay at Home and Vote.

We hear that a number of our young men design being at the Centennial on the day of election. This is wrong, gentlemen. Your friends and neighbors have urgent need of your votes on that day and you should stay at home and give them. This is but a slight sacrifice at your hands, and patriotism requires that it should be cheerfully made. Your race, friends and neighbors have a right to depend on your support and assistance on the day of election and a wilful neglect of this on your part amounts to criminality.

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Speaking in Cedar Fork.

Yesterday the county candidates met in Cedar Fork Township. A very good crowd was in attendance. A G. Jones, Democratic candidate for County Commissioner, led off in the discussion, making a very sensible speech. He was followed by Messrs. Massey, Allen, Turner and Jenks. The candidates for county treasurer, David Lewis, Democrat, and S. D. Harrison, Republican, announced themselves, as did Dunn and Nowell, candidates for sheriff. B. Y. Rogers, Democratic candidate for Register of Deeds, charged his Republican opponent, W. W. White, with having issued a marriage license to a negro to marry a white woman. Mr. White did not deny the charge in his reply.

G. H. Snow, our candidate for the Senate next took the stand and proceeded to lash "Honest" Bob Wythe in the most approved style.

He showed the great reduction that had been made in taxes on real estate since the installation into office of the present Democratic board; how impartially they had divided the educational fund, and with what promptness all county orders had been paid. He repeated the charges heretofore spoken of against "Honest Bob," and requested him to answer them in his reply.

Mr. Wynne in his reply left all the charges unanswered, speaking all the time about his character for excessive honesty.

Our candidates for the lower house of the Legislature, Messrs. Whitley, Page Olive and Jones, all made good and practical speeches, which told with good effect upon the white men. Their opponents, Messrs. J. E. Birdseye, Purnell and Todd, of course, carried the day with the negroes.

Enforce the Law on the Day of Election.

Any person who shall, with intent to commit a fraud, register or vote at more than one box or more than one time, or who shall induce another to do so, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be imprisoned not less than twelve months, or fined not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars, at the discretion of the court; and any registrar of the voters, or any clerk or copyist, who shall make any entry or copy with intent to commit a fraud shall be liable to the same penalty.

Any person who shall falsely and corruptly take the oath prescribed for voters shall be deemed to be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined one thousand dollars and be imprisoned at hard labor in the penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years.

Penitentiary Recruits.

Yesterday quite a number of recruits were added to the penitentiary brigade. This is the roll call of the batch:

Sheriff J. C. Barnett, of Person county, brought Jas. A. Paul white, larceny, five years; Edwards Brooks, colored, larceny, five years; George Ragland, colored, larceny, six years.

Deputy Sheriff M. C. Smith, of Pitt county, brought three wards: Hayes and Settle, men, viz: Richard Burney, larceny, two years; Brutus Walston, larceny, two years; Gray Bynum, forger, two years.

Deputy Sheriff H. Preslar, of Union county, brought this lot: Charles Russell, colored, larceny, two years; Rev. Charles Johnson, colored, larceny, three years; John Wolfe, colored, larceny, one year; Thaddeus Billingsay, colored, larceny, two years.

The Legislature.

A large number of people in this city seem to be muddled as to the time of the meeting of Legislature. The law as it now stands requires this body to convene in this city once in every two years, fixing the third Monday in November as the day of assembling. If the pending Constitutional Amendments are adopted, the day of meeting will be changed, as to future Legislatures, to the first Monday in January. The pendency of these amendments does not affect the law at present in force, so the ensuing General Assembly meets, as heretofore, on the third Monday in next November, which will be the 20th. The proposed amendments to the Constitution, if adopted, do not go into effect until January 1st, 1877.

Colonization.

A special Washington dispatch informs us that the Republicans have formed a plan to import several thousand negroes from Maryland and Virginia into this State, for the November election, in the hope of carrying it for Hayes and Wheeler. A portion of this nefarious design is said to be under the management of a notorious Washington negro by the name of Perry Carson, who was an active go-between of the old District riggers. We hope our friends all over the State will be watchful and block all of these Radical frauds.

Art at the Fair.

The art department at the late fair was not largely represented, yet showed some specimens of rare merit. Evident genius was displayed by the young man Dangfield, of Fayetteville, only sixteen years old, in his scene of "Evening on the Rhine." The points of excellence attained in this picture were very strong. His beautifully tinted sky, the placid stream, the fishing boat hauled ashore on the banks, the fishermen at their rest along shore, etc., were well executed and true to nature. "The Cross," another specimen of the talent of young Dangfield, attracted much attention. Its surrounding, among which were seen the passion flower and the lovely violet, completed a tout ensemble of elegant taste. The "View on Cradup's Pond," in Franklin county, executed by a young Raleigh artist, Frank Womble, elicited much praise. The rural landscape possessed many excellent artistic features and proves the natural taste of the amateur.

The display of shoes by our townsman, C. D. Hearit, is worthy of special mention without disparagement to others.

Mr. Clawson's exhibit in the art department was excellent of itself, and the taste showed in the arrangement was almost perfect. In fact, all the displays in this department were creditable.

The friends and admirers of the annual State exhibition cannot fail to appreciate the indefatigable aid given by Mr. H. T. Clawson in more than one department. Also the kind offices of Mr. H. A. London in the ladies' department. We mean no invidious distinction, but accord to all a share of merit in the various arrangements of their industries, &c. on exhibition.

The articles which were on exhibition and not delivered, but left at the main building, have been brought to the Secretary's office, where the owners can get them on the usual identification.

Trinity College.

A great revival of religion is in progress at Trinity. Nearly all the students have been brought under its influence, and many from the village and adjacent country. On Sunday night last Dr. Craven baptized six and received sixteen into the church. Two from Episcopal families stood up with the others, not to be received into the Methodist Church, for Dr. Craven would not have permitted that under such circumstances, but to say that they would join the Episcopal Church. There have been over forty conversions, and a general awakening of the whole church. There are meetings every night, and the usual College exercises during the day.

Invitation Accepted.

Yesterday Major A. M. Lewis received a letter from the President of the Tilden and Vance Club, of Fayetteville, stating that O. H. Dockery had withdrawn his appointment to speak in that place, so the plan for the Major to meet and dress off the gentleman on that occasion has fallen through. The letter contained an invitation for the Major to visit Fayetteville and address the Tilden and Vance Club there next Tuesday evening. We are glad to learn that Major Lewis has accepted the invitation. There is no more effective speaker in the State than Major Lewis, and the Fayetteville people may expect to have one of the best speeches they ever listened to.

The Courts.

Yesterday was a dull day in the courts of Mayor Manly and Justice of the Peace Magnin. In the former sentence was passed upon a few unfortunate drunkards whose names we suppress by request.

In the court of Justice Magnin the only case was a peace warrant affair between two colored women, Susan Smith and Aurelia Dunn, which was dismissed with a reprimand to both parties.

Ransom in Wake.

We are requested to publish the following appointments for Hon. M. W. Ransom in this county:

Springfield, St. Mary's Township, Saturday, Nov. 4.

Raleigh, Metropolitan Hall, Monday, Nov. 6th, 7:30 P. M.

We congratulate our people that they are again to have an opportunity of hearing this eloquent gentleman. We know that Raleigh will give him a rousing audience.

Meat Thief.

Last evening, just as the shades of night had enveloped the earth, Marcellus Alford, commonly called "Tusk," an Anglo-African well known in this community, meandered into the grocery store of S. J. and Jackson, Exchange Place, and appropriated some ceremony a shoulder of meat. He was quickly detected in the theft and handed over to the tender mercies of the police. An investigation into the matter will be had this morning.

The Flag-Pole Raising.

Let there be a full turnout of the Democrats of this city to witness the Tilden and Vance flag-pole raising to-morrow afternoon. Messrs. L. C. Manly, David Anderson, Sherwood Haywood and A. Keth, committee on the part of the Young Men's Tilden and Vance Club, have the honor in charge. A number of impromptu speeches will be made. In the evening, at Metropolitan Hall, C. M. Busbee, Esq., will address the two clubs—Mechanic's and Young Men's—and the citizens of Raleigh generally.

Diocese of North Carolina—Bishop Lyman's Appointments.

Laurensville, Rockingham Co., Sunday Nov. 12.

Mountain Chapel, Rockingham Co., Monday Nov. 13.

Reidsville, Rockingham Co., Tuesday Nov. 14, p. m.

Winston, Forsyth Co., Wednesday Nov. 15, p. m.

Thomasville, Davidson Co., Friday Nov. 17, p. m.

Salisbury, Rowan Co., Sunday, Nov. 19.

St. Andrew's, Rowan Co., Monday, Nov. 20.

Christ Church, Rowan Co., Tuesday, Nov. 21.

St. Mary's Chapel, Rowan Co., Wednesday, Nov. 22.

Concord, Cabarrus Co., Thursday, Nov. 23.

Lexington, Davidson Co., Friday, Nov. 24.

Greensboro, Sunday, Nov. 26.

Company Shops, Monday, Nov. 27.

St. Mary's, Orange Co., Wednesday, Nov. 29.

Flat River, Orange Co., Friday, Dec. 1, a. m.

Farintosh, Orange Co., Friday, Dec. 1, p. m.

Hillsboro, Orange Co., Sunday, Dec. 3.

Chapel Hill, Orange Co., Sunday, Dec. 10.

District Canvassers.

1st District—W. D. Pruden, of Chowan.

2d District—Col. D. C. Clark, of Halifax.

3d District—Maj. C. W. McClammy, of Pender.

4th District—Capt. A. S. Peace, of Granville.

5th District—Col. Jas. T. Morehead, of Guilford.

6th District—Hon. P. B. Means, of Cabarrus.

7th District—Hon. R. Z. Linney, of Alexander.

8th District—Col. J. Robt. Love, of Jackson.

A CARD.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 25, 1876.

The lady managers of Department G. (Floral Hall) exhibitions at the N. C. Agricultural Society, in much pleasure in acknowledging through this medium, the courteous attentions paid them during, and the handsome donations of horticultural and agricultural products made at the close of the recent exposition, by Mr. J. V. P. of Chatham county, Dr. Eugene Grimes, of Raleigh, T. W. Harris, Capt. C. B. Deane, Mr. Henry A. London, of Pittsboro, N. C.

Always keep the bottle handy, Do not place it out of sight; For it cured our little Andy, Who was coughing day and night. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Emaciation a Remediable Defect.

Leanness not only detracts from personal beauty, but is an index to the blood in deficient in nutritive properties. To remedy emaciation, enrich and purify the blood, which is the foundation of health. This is the object most readily attained through the use of the great blood purifier and depurative, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enables the stomach to extract from food the elements of blood, and thus to complete the system, remove all obstructions to the

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THE NEWS, Raleigh, N. C.

FOR PRESIDENT:
SAMUEL J. TILDEN,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
THOMAS A. HENDRICKS,
OF INDIANA.

The following is the ticket to be voted at the Presidential box:

Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.
DANIEL G. FOWLE, 4th Con. Dist.
JAMES M. LEACH, 5th Con. Dist.
LOUIS C. LATHAM, 1st Con. Dist.
JOHN F. WOOTEN, 2d Con. Dist.
JAMES C. MCRAE, 3d Con. Dist.
FABIAN H. ROBBINS, 4th Con. Dist.
FRANK C. ROBBINS, 5th Con. Dist.
ROBERT P. WARING, 6th Con. Dist.
WILLIAM B. GLENN, 7th Con. Dist.
ALPHONSO C. AVERY, 8th Con. Dist.

The following is the ticket for Governor and State officers:

For Governor:
ZEBULON B. VANCE,
OF MECKLENBURG.

For Lieutenant Governor:
THOMAS J. JARVIS,
OF PITT.

For Secretary of State:
JOSEPH A. ENGELHARD,
OF NEW HANOVER.

For Attorney General:
THOMAS S. KENAN,
OF WILSON.

For Public Treasurer:
JOHN M. WORTH,
OF RANDOLPH.

For Auditor:
SAMUEL L. LOVE,
OF HAYWOOD.

For Sup't of Public Instruction:
JOHN C. SCARBOROUGH,
OF JOHNSTON.

RATIFICATION.
FOR CONGRESS:
JOSEPH J. DAVIS,
OF FRANKLIN.

Congressional Nominations in other Districts:

1st District—JESSE J. YEATES, of Hertford.

3rd District—ALFRED M. WADDELL, of New Hanover.

5th District—ALFRED M. SCALES, of Guilford.

6th District—WALTER L. STEELE, of Richmond.

7th District—WILLIAM M. ROBINS, of Iredell.

8th District—ROBERT B. VANCE, of Buncombe.

Our subscribers will greatly oblige us by giving prompt information of any delay in receiving their papers.

WHAT will Holden say now?

"Truth is mighty, and will prevail."

HOLDEN now stands convicted according to scriptural law. "At the mouth of two witnesses," &c.

SENATOR MERRIMON has just completed a brief canvass in the Piedmont region of the State. He spoke at eight places, in Rockingham, Stokes, Surry, Yalquin and Forsythe. He brings cheering intelligence from that section. His next appointment is at Henderson next week.

"Lie (W. W. Holden) said the murder of Stephens was for political effect, and his murderers were thought to be of his own party. He spoke of the rope found on the neck of the murdered man, and the finding of the coil from which it was cut as likely to elicit evidence unfavorable to parties who were supposed to be friends of Stephens.—Rev. Thomas W. Babb, in Raleigh News, Oct. 24, 1876.

A REVELATION ABOUT THE BONDS.

Gov. Holden in his card to the public, published in the Constitution of October 20th, 1876, says, in defense of himself for issuing the special tax bonds:

"And I will state further that the treasurer and myself would not decide to issue any bonds until we had gone before the entire Supreme Court in informal session, and ascertained from them, distinctly and clearly, what bonds were constitutional and what were not."

This is what Gov. Holden asserts in the hope of shifting from his shoulders on to the Supreme Court the responsibility of the issuance of the special tax bonds.

Now, let us see what the Supreme Court say on the subject.

Chief Justice Pearson was summoned before the Shipp Fraud Commission in 1871, (Nov. 14,) to give evidence in regard to the special tax bonds. The following question was propounded to his Honor:

"Question 2. Was there any consultation between the Justices or either of them, as to which bonds should be declared unconstitutional, or for any other purpose connected with the University Railroad case?"

Judge Pearson submitted the following reply in writing:

"In reply to the second question, there never was any consultation between the Justices and Gov. Holden or Treasurer Jenkins, as to which bonds should be declared unconstitutional, or any consultation connected with the University Railroad case."

This reply was duly sworn to and subscribed before the Hon. W. M. Shipp, chairman of the Commission, as will be seen by reference to the "Report of the Commission to Investigate charges of Fraud and Corruption, under Act of Assembly, session 1871-'72, p. 488."

These two contradictory statements raise a direct issue of veracity between Chief Justice Pearson and Gov. Holden. There is no escape from it.

This is a revelation of deep importance. It places the Republican party of North Carolina in a very serious predicament; and they may take either horn of the dilemma they please.

If Holden's statement be true, what do we find? The Supreme Court secretly conniving with the Executive of the State, and giving their opinions on the constitutionality of millions of bonds, conceived in sin and born in corruption.

To appreciate the flagrant nature of this conduct, as alleged by Holden, we have but to bear in mind the fact, that the Supreme Court has no right to advise the Governor or Treasurer of the State as to the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any act of assembly. In the language of Justice Rodman, "the Constitution has wisely separated the judicial from the political departments of the government. The sole duty of the Judges is to decide controversies between parties concerning their rights under the law, and in the case of the Justices of the Supreme Court, this duty is limited to such cases as come before that court on appeal."

See opinion in reply to resolution of General Assembly as to tenure of office—64, N. C., p. 793. Of the same opinion were Justices Reade and Settle, they with Rodman J., constituting a majority of the Court. Justice Reade says, "At the last session of your honorable body, a like request was made for our opinion in regard to the Homestead, and we then declined to give our opinion, for reasons which we then stated. I had supposed our action then was decisive," &c.—64, N. C., p. 791. It is true that in that matter Pearson, C. J., gave an opinion, in which Dick, J., concurred; but they did not profess to give their opinions as a Court, but only as individual Judges.

If Hon. Richmond M. Pearson told the truth in the matter, before the Fraud Commission, then does Gov. Holden, the calculator of Zebulon B. Vance, stand before the public convicted by the sworn testimony of the Republican Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, of WILFUL, DELIBERATE FALSEHOOD.

"BY THE MOUTH OF TWO WITNESSES."

The statement of Rev. Thos. W. Babb settles the Holden-Bailey matter. It sustains Rev. Mr. Bailey fully. There is no longer room for doubt, even in the minds of the most incredulous.

If anybody thought Gov. Holden's denial outweighed the uncorroborated testimony of Rev. C. T. Bailey, there is no reason for harboring such a thought now. The word of two Christian ministers is certainly to be taken as the truth, in preference to the word of a single layman. We must rest our belief on the testimony of two honorable, unspotted followers of Christ, rather than upon the unsubstantiated assertions of a disgraced and degraded politician. Between W. W. Holden on the one hand, and Revs. C. T. Bailey and Thomas W. Babb on the other, no man of sane mind and memory can hesitate a moment.

What then?

Ex-Gov. Holden, leader of the Republican cause, editor of the Constitution, and calculator of Zeb. B. Vance—stands before the world to-day convicted of FALSEHOOD, by the unimpeached and unimpeachable testimony of two distinguished Christian ministers.

What further?

It is now established—

I. That the Kirk war was inaugurated by the Republicans to serve a political purpose.

II. That Gov. Holden basely allowed himself to be used as a tool by the managers of the National Republican party, to serve their wicked purposes.

III. That John W. Stephens was murdered for political effect, by the Republicans.

In the light of these disclosures, the Republican party of North Carolina deserves to be promptly repudiated by every honorable or patriotic man within our borders.

AMONG the hotly contested counties of this State, Mecklenburg stands with the foremost. At the beginning of the campaign it was set down as doubtful. But the canvass has progressed far enough to enable us to judge of the probable result. Our ticket will win. The Democrats were never more thoroughly organized, and aroused. Under the splendid leadership of Moore, Shotwell and Ardrey, and the able, active Executive Committee, the party will achieve a decisive victory. Three hundred majority may be safely relied upon.

THE Salisbury fair is in progress. It is among the foremost fairs of the State. It is on a sound financial basis; always pays up its premiums, cash; and its displays are generally good. A. H. Boyden, Esq., its General President, and the efficient Secretary, Mr. Theo. F. Klutts, have managed it with great ability.

BAYONET RULE.

Address of the Democratic State Executive Committee.

Absolute Submission Recommended.

COLUMBIA, Oct. 19, 1876.

The Democratic Executive Committee has issued the following address to the people of the State of South Carolina, who desire honest government without regard to political party or race:

ADDRESS OF THE COMMITTEE.
His Excellency the President of the United States did on the 17th day of this month issue a proclamation whereby he commanded all persons engaged in unlawful and insurrectionary proceedings to disperse and retire peaceably to their respective abodes within three days from this date, and hereafter abandon said combinations and submit themselves to the laws and constituted authorities of said State. This proclamation is based upon the statements made by Daniel H. Chamberlain, the Governor of this State, which statements are aimed exclusively against his political opponents, and are proven to be untrue by the testimony of every Judge in the State and every Trial Judge or other officer of the law from whom response has been obtained; every resident of the State knows them to be untrue; every Republican of character or intelligence, or who is not in office in the State, have expressed horror at the course which the Governor has pursued. We say this much for our vindication. "Never has a people suffered more by dishonest officers; never has such bold untruth been used for support of a movement which shakes the pillars upon which rests the constitutional temple of a mighty people. Our State is but a petty portion of the Union, but we call upon our sister States of the North to remember that the experiment now being made for the domination of our election by the bayonet and by soldiers as the irresistible instrument of revolting local despotism, if successful, will become the precedent before which the whole fabric of American liberty will fall, and which will be applied to other States just as soon as party exigencies require it. We make this declaration of our innocence, not in respect of the President of the United States, but as an act of justice to ourselves as American citizens and to put our case upon the record for an impartial trial before the great national tribunal. We bow in perfect submission to the proclamation of His Excellency the President, and exhort our fellow citizens, whom we represent in the present canvass, to every full and entire obedience to every command in the said proclamation.

We know that the clubs called rifle clubs are associations formed for home protection; that they are not combinations as charged by the Governor of this State; that there are not a few that have arms and ammunition just as soon as party exigencies require it. We make this declaration of our innocence, not in respect of the President of the United States, but as an act of justice to ourselves as American citizens and to put our case upon the record for an impartial trial before the great national tribunal. We bow in perfect submission to the proclamation of His Excellency the President, and exhort our fellow citizens, whom we represent in the present canvass, to every full and entire obedience to every command in the said proclamation.

THE right of challenge at the polls is clearly recognized by the Supreme Court. The whole matter was decided in the case of the State vs. Colvert, Judge Reade delivering the opinion of the Court. If you have the least suspicion that a man who offers to vote has not the right to do so, challenge him.

THE part Gov. Holden played with regard to the bonds of the Western Railroad, is shown up by our correspondent who signs himself "A Stockholder."

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Soldiers of the Grand Army of the Republic very properly rebuke Centennial Dix for his impudent attempt to make a political machine of their organization.

The men who fought for the Union resent the forwardness of a feather bed General who a dozen years after the end of the war, tells them that it is still raging, and dictates how they shall vote.

The United States troops continue to take up their line of march on South Carolina. The scenes at the places of their departure recall the days of the rebellion, though of course it takes an insignificant number of soldiers to subjugate Wade Hampton, compared with the numbers that were necessary to put down the armies of the Southern Confederacy.—N. Y. Sun.

When Hayes was in Congress he voted for a bill entitled "an act for the relief of certain contractors for the construction of vessels of war and similar machinery." This "relief" consisted in giving a gang of swindling contractors \$300,000 for alleged extra work, they having already received \$1,500,000 more than their contract price for inferior work. For every job of this kind Hayes is shown by the records to have voted aye.

At the annual meeting of the Army of the Tennessee, in Washington, last Wednesday, Grant was dumb as an oyster. It was different with him, however, one year ago at the reunion of this organization at Des Moines, Iowa, when aspiring to a third term, he did not hesitate to foment religious strife by a bungling speech on the common school system of which he apparently knows very little. Poor Grant! But he is served right.

Notwithstanding the unlawful massing of United States soldiers in South Carolina, and the evident intention of Ku-Klux Chamberlain, in conjunction with the conspirators at Washington to force armed resistance on the part of the Democrats to the infamous proceedings, Gen. Hampton will carry out his engagements to speak and his friends will conduct the canvass as heretofore, unlike the Republicans, appealing to the reason and not the passions of voters.

The six electoral votes of Connecticut are not to be reckoned among the doubtful. The Republican organs outside claim the State on the ground that it has always thrown a Republican majority in Presidential years. At home, however, the leaders of both parties know perfectly well that there will be a majority of five thousand or more for Uncle SAM TILDEN. This confidence on the part of the Democrats is justified by a careful canvass of the State and a correct understanding of the present disposition of the silent vote, Count Connecticut for Reform this year.

Mr. Ike Young, says the Fayetteville Gazette, when he announced the keynote of this campaign to be "lie and stick to it," did not evolve the contemptible idea from his own brain, fitted as that seat of very mediocre intelligence would be for the concocting of such a scheme; he took his cue from his Northern masters, the administration and "bloody shirt" leaders. It is a significant fact that not one single election has so far taken place in any State, which has not furnished an opportunity for wholesale and unnecessary lying on the part of the Radical press and speakers. Not a single newspaper of that party has yet published the Democratic majority in Georgia at more than one-third of what it really is, while they have deliberately falsified the returns in Maine, Vermont, Colorado, Indiana, West Virginia and Ohio.

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The Governor may have been deceived by his man in 1868; but he must have acted with his eyes open in 1869-'70, as he must have known that not one dollar of the proceeds of \$1,700,000 State and mortgage bonds were ever used to extend the road, and that he knowingly aided in destroying the former interest of the State and private stockholders in said road.

Why did he not send the State Treasurer to sell these bonds, and have the proceeds paid over to the company's Treasurer, both of whom were bonded officers? That was the way Reid, Bragg, Vance, and other scoundrels.

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